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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE: BOARD OF NURSING Meeting Minutes

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Cannon Building, Second Floor Conference Room A

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, DE 19904

MINUTES APPROVED: 06/14/2017

MEMBERS PRESENT

Pamela Tyranski, President, RN Member, Presiding Valerie Devereaux, Vice-President, RN Member Nancy Bastholm, RN Educator Member George Brown, Public Member Ronald Castaldo, APRN Member (9:06 a.m. – 1:28 p.m.) Linda Darling, RN Member Angela Lewis, LPN Member (9:04 a.m. – 1:28 p.m.) Madelyn Nellius, Public Member (9:03 a.m. – 1:28 p.m.) David Salati, RN Member Harland Sanders, Jr., Public Member Victoria Udealer, RN Member Megan Williams, APRN Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Dianne Halpern, RN Member Sherry Lambertson, Public Member Nikki Lane, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Peggy Mack, Executive Director Jennifer Singh, Deputy Attorney General Jessica Williams, Administrative Specialist III

ALSO PRESENT

Gary Alderson
Jeremy Calloway
Katie Dukes
Anna Merrick
Dorothy Finney
Christopher Miller
Shelby Gray
Melissa LaRue
Emily Macklin
Lydia Cole
Abraham Dera
Anna Merrick
Christopher Miller
Megan Pusey
Lisa Schieffert
Pamela Zickafoose

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Tyranski called the meeting to order at 9:02 a.m. The Board introduced themselves to the public.

DISPOSITION OF MINUTES

Meeting Minutes – April 12, 2017

The Board reviewed the minutes of the April 12, 2017 meeting. Mr. Salati moved, seconded by Ms. Bastholm, to approve the minutes with grammatical corrections. The motion carried with Mr. Brown opposing and Ms. Lewis, Dr. Castaldo, and Dr. Williams abstaining.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Ms. Darling moved, seconded by Dr. Williams, to accept the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

ACTIVITIES REPORT

Dr. Mack reported the number and types of active licenses as of May 8, 2017.

RN = 18,696 (RN permits = 16) (GN permits = 1) LPN = 2,837 (LPN permits = 3) (GPN permits = 0) APRN = 1,649 (APRN permits = 3) Advanced Practice Registered Nurses: NP = 1,063; CRNA = 355; CNS = 184; CNM = 47 Total permits = 23 Total Active Licenses = 23,182

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Discussion Regarding Ex-Officio Status of Board President at Committee Meetings

The Board continued their discussion regarding the Board President attending committee meetings as an ex-officio member. Ms. Singh reiterated the potential legal ramifications pertaining to a Board President attending committee meetings as an ex-officio member. The Board tabled further discussions until June 14, 2017.

The Board observed a brief recess from 9:50 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

APRN Committee

Dr. Williams reported that the Committee met on April 17, 2017. During that meeting the Committee reviewed and approved 11 applications for independent practice. To date, the APRN Committee has approved 25 applications for independent practice. The next meeting is scheduled for May 15, 2017, at 4:30 p.m.

Dr. Castaldo provided a brief synopsis of the NCSBN APRN Roundtable meeting he attended with Dr. Mack in April 2017.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Ms. Tyranski wished the Board a happy nurse's week, and thanked Board members for their contributions to the nursing profession. The NCSBN President's call is scheduled for May 15, 2017. Ms. Tyranski reminded Board members that the Election of Officers is scheduled for June 14, 2017.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Dr. Mack advised the Board that nineteen states have enacted the enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact. On April 24, 2017, Dr. Mack agreed to allow NCSBN access to extract the mailing information data from NURSYS, for the purpose of mailing information regarding the implementation of eNLC, in an attempt to educate employers, educators, and nurses.

Dr. Mack advised the Board that she has resigned from her position as Executive Director. Board members thanked Dr. Mack for her service, and wished her well in her future endeavors.

NEW BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

Licensee Applicant Reviews

Bonnie Neagle, RN – Endorsement

Ms. Neagle graduated from Delgado Charity College of Nursing in December 1992. She answered "no" to questions #18 and #24. The NURSYS verification report from Virginia reflects disciplinary action taken against her license in June 2000. Ms. Neagle's CBC shows obtaining a Controlled Substance by Fraud and Simple Possession of Controlled Substance in May 2000. She submitted an explanation regarding her criminal history, disposition documentation, and a letter of reference. Dr. Castaldo moved, seconded by Ms. Nellius, to propose to deny the application as appears that Ms. Neagle did not answer questions #18 and #24 truthfully. Motion unanimously carried.

Lisa Hill, GPN – Examination

Ms. Hill graduated from Delaware Technical Community College in March 2016. Her CBC shows Conspiracy 2nd Degree in January 2002. Ms. Hill submitted an explanation regarding her criminal history and a letter of reference for consideration. Dr. Williams moved, seconded by Mr. Brown, to grant a waiver for the disqualifier to sit for the NCLEX. Motion unanimously carried.

Complaints

Ms. Udealer moved, seconded by Dr. Castaldo, to ratify the following complaint assignments given to the respective Board contact person as noted below. Motion unanimously carried.

11-104-16 (Lewis) 11-11-17 (Devereaux) 11-12-17 (Udealer) 11-19-17 (Williams)

The Board was advised that the following complaints have been closed as noted below.

Closed Investigations by the Division of Professional Regulation

11-45-16 11-10-17 11-19-17

Dismissed by the Attorney General's Office

11-106-16 11-07-17

Consideration of Consent Agreements

Vikki Benson, RN (Case 11-24-16)

The Board considered the Consent Agreement for Vikki Benson, RN. Ms. Udealer moved, seconded by Dr. Castaldo, to accept the Consent Agreement. Motion unanimously carried.

Aimee Lucente, RN (Case 11-69-16)

The Board considered the Consent Agreement for Aimee Lucente, RN. Mr. Salati moved, seconded by Dr. Castaldo, to reject the Consent Agreement, as the information presented was inconsistent with the discipline. Motion unanimously carried.

Kelly Decyk, RN (Case 11-98-16)

The Board considered the Consent Agreement for Kelly Decyk, RN. Mr. Sanders moved, seconded by Ms. Lewis, to accept the Consent Agreement. Motion unanimously carried.

Review and Consideration of Hearing Officer Recommendations

Aisha Holman, LPN (Rule to Show Cause)

The Board considered the Hearing Officer recommendations for Aisha Holman, LPN. The Board reviewed CE certificates that Ms. Holman submitted for consideration. Dr. Castaldo moved, seconded by Mr. Brown, to accept the conclusions of law and findings of fact. The recommended discipline was modified to reflect the following: Ms. Holman shall be issued a letter of reprimand, and shall be selected for audit at the time of renewal in 2018. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board observed a brief recess from 10:45 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

Disciplinary Hearings

Dorothy Finney, RN (Petition to Lift Suspension)

See attached hearing minutes.

Legislative Update

Senate Bill 59 (Enhanced Nurse License Compact)

Ms. Singh advised the Board that Senate Bill 59 is in the Senate. A Senate Committee hearing is scheduled for May 10, 2017, at 1:00 p.m.

Senate Bill 63 (Nursing "Clean-Up")

Ms. Singh provided the Board a detailed overview of Senate Bill 63, and answered questions posed by Board members. After a thorough discussion Ms. Udealer moved, seconded by Ms. Nellius, to grant the

APRN Committee authority to make further clarifying statements to SB 63 as currently proposed. Motion unanimously carried.

Discussion and Vote on Adding Self-Reporting to the Nursing Clean-Up Bill

Ms. Singh advised the Board that she was approached by an administrative prosecutor regarding self-reporting. Currently, the Board does not require licensees to self-report to the Board. Mr. Brown moved, seconded by Ms. Darling, to include a self-reporting provision to SB 63. Motion carried with Dr. Castaldo, Dr. Devereaux, and Dr. Williams abstaining.

House Bill 110 (External to DPR – Marijuana Bill)

The Board discussed House Bill 110. Ms. Nellius moved, seconded by Mr. Salati, to remain in a neutral position regarding HB 110. Motion carried with Mr. Sanders abstaining, and Mr. Brown opposing.

Senate Bill 65 (External to DPR – "Conversion Therapy")

The Board discussed Senate Bill 65. Ms. Singh provided a brief summarization of SB 65. Ms. Lewis moved, seconded by Ms. Darling, to support SB 65. Motion carried with Dr. Devereaux abstaining, and Mr. Salati and Ms. Udealer opposing.

The Board observed a brief recess from 12:20 p.m. until 12:25 p.m.

LICENSEE APPROVAL

Ms. Darling moved, seconded by Dr. Devereaux, to ratify the licensee list (attached). Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Compliance

Crescelita Bosque, RN (Compliant)

Dr. Mack informed the Board that Ms. Bosque satisfactorily complied with the July 13, 2016 Order.

Chrystal Graham, RN (Non-Compliant)

Dr. Mack advised the Board that Ms. Graham failed to maintain compliance with the January 11, 2017 Order. She reported that Ms. Graham failed to complete the required CEs and enroll in the DPHMP. Ms. Graham's license was suspended on April 19, 2017, due to non-compliance.

Ellen Neff, RN (Compliant)

The Board was informed the Board that Ms. Neff satisfactorily complied with the May 12, 2010 Order.

Practice Without Licensure Reviews (May 2017)

Two individuals practiced without a license for over 90 days. The cases have been referred to the Investigative Unit.

Practice Issues

There were no practice issues.

Educational Issues

Brandywine Pediatrics – CE Provider Renewal Application

Dr. Mack reviewed the CE provider renewal application for Brandywine Pediatrics and recommends that their CE status be renewed. Ms. Nellius moved, seconded by Ms. Bastholm, to renew Brandywine Pediatrics as a CE Provider. Motion unanimously carried.

Governor Bacon Health Center – CE Provider Renewal Application

Dr. Mack reviewed the CE provider renewal application for the Governor Bacon Health Center and recommends that their CE status be renewed. Ms. Nellius moved, seconded by Ms. Bastholm, to renew Governor Bacon Health Center as a CE Provider. Motion unanimously carried.

Delaware Veterans Home – CE Provider Renewal Application

Dr. Mack reviewed the CE provider renewal application for the Delaware Veterans Home and recommends that their CE status be renewed. Ms. Nellius moved, seconded by Ms. Bastholm, to renew Delaware Veterans Home as a CE Provider. Motion unanimously carried.

Licensure Issues

Ellen Neff – Request for Supervised Practice Plan

The Board reviewed Ellen Neff's application and request for a Supervised Practice Plan. Mr. Brown moved, seconded by Dr. Williams, to approve the Supervised Practice Plan for Ellen Neff. Motion unanimously carried.

NEXT MEETING

The Board's next meeting is scheduled for June 14, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., in Conference Room A, of the Cannon Bldg., 861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, Delaware.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

EXECUTIVE SESSION (CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC)

Discussion of Ongoing Litigation with Leads School of Technology, dba Adoni

At 12: 30 p.m., Ms. Udealer moved, seconded by Ms. Nellius, to enter into executive session to discuss the ongoing litigation with Leads School of Technology, dba Adoni.

At 1:28 p.m., executive session adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 1:28 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Jessica Williams

Administrative Specialist III

Delaware Board of Nursing

HEARING MINUTES

HEARING – Dorothy Finney

PRESENT: Pamela Tyranski, Valerie Devereaux, Nancy Bastholm, George Brown, Ronald

Castaldo, Linda Darling, Angela Lewis, Madelyn Nellius, David Salati, Harland Sanders,

Jr., Victoria Udealer, Megan Williams

RECUSED: None

EXCUSED: None

PURPOSE: Petition to Lift Suspension

PRESIDING: Pamela Tyranski, President

BOARD STAFF: Peggy Mack, Executive Director

Jessica Williams, Administrative Specialist III

DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE BOARD: Jennifer Singh, DAG

TIME STARTED: 11:00 a.m.

At 11:00 a.m., Ms. Tyranski called Dorothy Finney's petition to lift suspension hearing to order. The Board introduced themselves for the record. Verbatim testimony was recorded electronically. Ms. Finney was present and verified she waived her right to be represented by counsel. Ms. Singh stated the purpose of the hearing. The following was marked as Board Exhibit 1: a copy of the March 12, 2014 Consent Agreement and the May 20, 2014 Board Order suspending Ms. Finney's license; a copy of the May 1, 2015 Order denying Ms. Finney's petition to lift suspension; and correspondence between Ms. Finney and the Board's Executive Director, including the letter notifying Ms. Finney of the hearing.

Ms. Finney was sworn in, presented her case, and responded to questions asked by Board members.

The Board entered into deliberations and 11:17 a.m., and concluded at 11:21 a.m. Dr. Devereaux moved, seconded by Ms. Lewis, to lift Ms. Finney's suspension, and place her on probation for three years, contingent upon her enrollment in the DPHMP. Motion unanimously carried.

The hearing concluded at 11:22 a.m.

APRN Licensee Listing for May 2017

Aina, Adetutu A. Adggorusi	Family NP
**Borkan, Ariela Miriam	Women's Health/Gender-Related NP
**Corkran, Wendy L. Hambright	Family NP
**Daniel, Maretta Kaye	Family NP
**Grady, Patricia M.	Family NP
Hanna-Ronald, Christine K.	Psych/Mental Health NP
**Hansen, Camilla C.K.	Family NP
**Martini, Tracy L. Motyka	Family NP
**Miller, Laurel F. Wolfe	Certified Nurse Midwife
**Quayson, Noura Akua	Certified Nurse Midwife
**Schockemoehl, Jennifer C.	Family NP
**Smerina, David C.	Family NP
**Sterling, Leslie Yvette	Family NP
**Vissy-Sterling, Autherine	Family NP
**Wiggins, Cheronna Taneyia	Family NP

^{**} Indicates Prescriptive Authority was issued

APRN Independent Practice Licensee Listing for May 2017

LG-0000121	Jensen, Jill Englund
LG-0000156	Sandal, Candace Lea
LG-0000441	Savage, Pennie D. Doherty
LG-0000531	Reynolds, Candice L. Wilson
LG-0000542	Smerina, David C.
LB-0000238	Ologbauma, Odion Jonathan
LG-0000583	Sebach, Aaron M
LG-0000721	Spause, Susan S.
LH-0000207	Michalowski, Cathleen
LP-0000161	Sebach, Aaron M
LP-0000170	Brady, Leslie L. Folks

May 2017 Licensee Listing – RN's (117)

L1-0050205	Kelly M. Cimino
L1-0050209	Olamide A. Torimiro Vincent
L1-0050207	Pamella A. Forte Chura
L1-0050211	Jade E Pereira
L1-0050210	Sheila Michelle Walker
L1-0050206	Kelly B Chen
L1-0050202	Rebeca Limon-Ruvalcaba
L1-0050203	Michael B. Obate

L1-0050201	Kira Ashley Byler
L1-0050208	Sally Ruth Steinbach
L1-0050204	Kristine Marie Centanni
L1-0050214	Kingsley Ifeanyi Ononiwu
L1-0050216	John Kevin Starke, II
L1-0050212	Melissa Kathleen LeNoir
L1-0050215	Christa Lynn Rodriguez
L1-0050213	Brittany Lee Wadkins

May 2017 Licensee Listing Continued – RN's (117)

14 0050337	Lawren Code and Diagrams II
L1-0050227	Jenna Suhayl Blackwell
L1-0050225	Bernadette Orumwense
L1-0050221	Sylwia Agnieszka Dyba
L1-0050218	Ant'Quinette Danielle E.B. Jackson
L1-0050226	Stephanie S. Sennott Gomez
L1-0050224	Elaine Yee-Lin Lau
L1-0050223	Brenda F. Hickman Barnard
L1-0050219	Anthony Wilson Guzman
L1-0050217	Dochea Conaway Graves
L1-0050228	Teresa M. Rafter Crothers
L1-0050220	Jennifer L. Stahl Edwards
L1-0050222	Lisa T. Cummins Harrington
L1-0050230	Andrea B. Lion Simmons
L1-0050231	Irma Cortez Orozco
L1-0050229	Tiffany C. Cosby-Tunstall Penn
L1-0050232	Kelly E. Kowalski
L1-0050236	Kara Lucille Neri
L1-0050240	Nicole A. MacCarty Brice
L1-0050233	Arphi Regulacio Alvarez
L1-0050235	Linda S. Neiman Warrington
L1-0050237	Sara L. LeRoy Yankowski
L1-0050239	Joanna D. Cole Eiserman
L1-0050238	Frances Wolzanski
L1-0050234	Barbara Ann Dungan
L1-0050246	Michelle Anne Sombero Mercado
L1-0050247	Kathleen R. Jensen Harte
L1-0050249	Christine Marie Kane
L1-0050248	Shelia A. Hunter
L1-0050245	Jane Kathryn Gackle
L1-0050242	Adara Erin Jamison
L1-0050243	Erin Louise Benner
L1-0050244	Kayla L. Godfrey Beard
L1-0050241	Valerie Annabelle Frizzell
L1-0050250	Brittany Raye Betts
L1-0050251	Angela L. Winkler Justice
L1-0050252	Bakhrom D. Otamirzaev
L1-0050260	Holly L Kitchin
L1-0050259	Nicole M. Harbin Harper
L1-0050257	Nicole T. Hagiwara
L1-0050254	Mary F. Buckley Oestreich
L1-0050258	Leslie Sheree Wright-Brown
L1-0050253	Michelle D. Pole Roberts
L1-0050255	Danielle Marie Farer
L1-0050256	Victoria G. Duttweiler Clark
L1-0050262	Rachelle A. Keating Dinan

L1-0050261	Lona S. Macairan
L1-0050264	Marianne E. O'Brien Poole
L1-0050265	Stephanie Elena Plunkett
L1-0050263	Nyleen Valentina Pajibo
L1-0050272	Carol A. Brogren Zuccarello
L1-0050268	Lynn Madeline E. Pyka
L1-0050277	Alison Leigh Wolf
L1-0050271	Bernice C.Fretz Brennan
L1-0050269	Delia Marcelo Bismar
L1-0050275	Joke Asubiaro
L1-0050266	Letisha M. Williams Barnett
L1-0050276	Heana Yi
L1-0050274	Beth Ellen Timberman
L1-0050270	Bernice Luvina Bouzy
L1-0050279	Jenell Ashlee Bogan
L1-0050278	Eloisa Orillo Fernando
L1-0050273	Patricia A. Riordan Thayer
L1-0050267	Gina Patricia Franco
L1-0050288	Zachary P. Hoover
L1-0050283	Stephanie Eunha Ko
L1-0050280	Ashleigh Therese Bond
L1-0050287	Allen Wong Quach
L1-0050281	Assad Juma Suleiman
L1-0050284	Rachel Lin
L1-0050285	Tara Mulvey Phillips
L1-0050286	Antonia S. Gonzalez
L1-0050282	Denise L. Duncan Blackshear
L1-0050295	Yekaterina Shchapina
L1-0050294	Tracee J. Kutz Rozum
L1-0050292	Helen Morgan McGuire
L1-0050293	Kerry A. Denny McKenzie
L1-0050291	Shelly G. Smith Lamers
L1-0050296	Elizabeth J. Hock VanderBogart
L1-0050289	Deborah Lynne Gantt
L1-0050290	Brynn R.Edwards Knibbe
L1-0050300	Julian Papa
L1-0050299	Manuel T. Gurtina
L1-0050297	Laurie Ashley Damian
L1-0050298	Sarah Barrett Pinto
L1-0050309	Teodora V. Cazacu Boboshevsky
L1-0050305	Cynthia A. Barna Himpler
L1-0050308	Teresita C. De Guzman Jonson
L1-0050311	Julianne M. Bradshaw Miller
L1-0050301	Sherman John Torres
L1-0050302	Jennifer Ann Nelson

May 2017 Licensee Listing Continued – RN's (117)

L1-0050306	Jennifer S. Dean
L1-0050303	Lauri A. McClafferty Maxwell
L1-0050307	Jodi Prisana Barnett
L1-0050304	Casey Maura Lynch
L1-0050310	Sandra J. Waldron Barlick
L1-0050312	Kelly Ann Roebuck

L1-0050314	Charlotte Brefo Birch
L1-0050316	Deborah J. Blake Tancredi
L1-0050313	Christopher Michael Wagner
L1-0050315	Jennifer M. Haly Collins
L1-0050318	Bolanle O Johnson

May 2017 Licensee Listing – LPN's (12)

L2-0013007	Sophia Daida Smith
L2-0013009	Marie Michaelle Pelissier
L2-0013008	Shalonda Cleveland
L2-0013010	Indiay R Beecham
L2-0013012	Christina M. Otto Bireley
L2-0013011	Cynthia Theresa Griffin

L2-0013014	Jeremiah John Stone
L2-0013013	Rona S.Bagalacsa Clark
L2-0013016	Jennifer Marie Bayer
L2-0013015	Lestley K. Arisi
L2-0013017	Heather D. Fairman Fullerton
L2-0013018	Kenisha LaManda Thompson

May 2017 Licensee Listing – Temporary Permits (15)

RN-0012211	Samantha Josephine Wright
RN-0012220	Laura Soriano Rodriguez
RN-0012219	Mark A. Sobieszczyk, Jr
RN-0012207	Lucille B. Fritsch Danca
RN-0012227	Janet Maria Atarthi-Dugan
RN-0012209	Aida Chua Arevalo
RN-0012216	Jacqueline E. Jackowicz Duffy
RN-0012214	Barbara J. Eckard Bekielewski

RN-0012226	Hertestine Rogers Gross-Parr
RN-0012213	Pamela Gemma Fuerte Baticados
RN-0012212	Jacqueline A. Caliendo Rozhon
RN-0012215	Lionel Castro Briones
RN-0012228	Shiree Buckner
LPN-0002744	Candy K. Thompson Shomo
APN-0001833	Holly L. Metz Kalish